

PATENT Customer No. 22,852
Attorney Docket No. 07043.0020-00000

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Masahiro SHIMIZU et al.	Group Art Unit: 3742
Application No.: 10/085,092) Examiner: S. Fuqua
Filed: March 1, 2002))
For: HEAT TREATMENT APPARATUS USING A LAMP FOR RAPIDLY AND UNIFORMLY HEATING A WAFER))))
Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria. VA 22313-1450	

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In response to the Office Action mailed August 18, 2004, the period for response having been extended three months by a request for extension of time and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

AMENDMENT

Please amend the claims as indicated in the **Amendments to the Claims** section, which begins on page 2 of this Amendment.

Remarks begin on page 20 of this Amendment.

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